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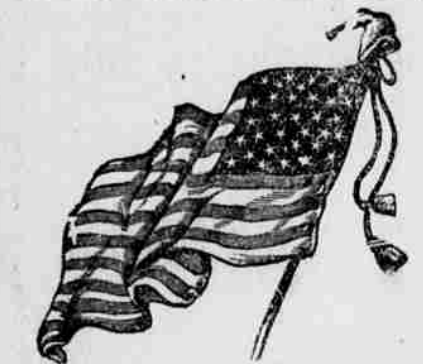
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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1896

For President,
 WILLIAM MCKINLEY,
 Of the United States.
 For Vice-President,
 GARRETT A. HOBART,
 Of New Jersey.
 Republican State Ticket.
 For Secretary of State,
 CHARLES KINNEY, of Scioto Co.
 or Judge of the Supreme Court,
 MARSHALL J. WILLIAMS, of Fayette Co.
 For Food and Dairy Commissioner,
 JOSEPH E. BLACKBURN, of Belmont Co.
 For Member Board of Public Works,
 FRANK A. HUFFMAN, of Van Wert Co.
 For Circuit Judge,
 HIRSH L. SHELLEY, of Washington Co.
 For Common Pleas Judge,
 JOSEPH M. WOOD, of Athens Co.
 Congressional Ticket.
 Congress, 15th District,
 H. C. VAN VOORHIS, of Muskingum Co.
 County Ticket.
 For Probate Judge,
 D. R. ROOD, of Belpre.
 For Sheriff,
 JOHN S. MCCALLISTER, Fourth Ward.
 Auditor,
 W. A. PATTERSON, of Waterford.
 For Recorder,
 JOHN W. ATHEY, Marietta Towns. p.
 For Commissioner,
 JOHN RANDOLPH, Wesley Township.
 For Inferior Director,
 WM. SCHNAUFER, Newport Township.

The Republican Party stands
 for honest money and the chance
 to earn it by honest toil.
 WILLIAM MCKINLEY.



HANG your banner out! This is Flag
 Day!

JUDGE LEPPER spoke Thursday evening,
 on invitation, at Plantsville, Morgan
 county, the scene of the Judge's
 boyhood. It is needless to say he put
 the truth at his old friends about right.

Up at New Matamoras Thursday night
 Messrs. Dawes and Shryock met with a
 splendid reception. The town was
 simply alive with enthusiastic Republicans,
 many of them being horseback.
 The gathering was so large that an
 overflow meeting had to be held.

TODAY is Republican Flag Day
 throughout the United States, regardless
 of the fact that Chairman Jones
 stole a good idea from Chairman Hanna.
 Let every loyal follower of McKinley
 and Republican principles fling to the
 breeze the stately banner which the
 Republican party has ever looked to
 for its inspiration.

A REPORT being circulated that candidates
 in the Republican county ticket
 will cut each other at the polls next
 Tuesday is only a Democratic campaign
 scheme and a common lie. Republicans
 to whom the false statement is made
 will no doubt take pleasure in branding
 it for what it really is. If the
 Washington county Republicans ever
 stood together for the finish they are
 standing there now.

Hoyt made a very "pat" illustration
 when he told his audience Thursday
 night that the aspirants for Vice-Presidential
 honors, Sewall and Watson,
 reminded him very much of the Irishman
 who told a friend that he had a
 very good joke on his wife—that is, she
 had presented him with two babies
 and that she only had "one clothes."
 According to Watson, Hoyt thinks
 that warts should be known henceforth
 as Sewalls.

WHAT IS NEEDED.

IT IS NOT AN INCREASE IN THE
 VOLUME OF MONEY WHICH IS THE
 NEED OF THE TIMES, BUT AN INCREASE
 IN THE VOLUME OF BUSINESS. NOT AN INCREASE OF
 COIN, BUT AN INCREASE OF CONFIDENCE.
 NOT MORE COINAGE, BUT A MORE ACTIVE USE OF THE
 MONEY COINED. NOT OPEN MINTS FOR
 THE UNLIMITED COINAGE OF THE
 SILVER OF THE WORLD, BUT OPEN
 MILLS FOR THE FULL AND UNRESTRICTED
 LABOR OF AMERICAN WORKINGMEN. — WILLIAM
 MCKINLEY.

see How it Works.
 A firm in Mexico owed the Brown-Bonell
 Iron company of Youngstown, O., a bill of
 \$18.11 for angle iron. To pay same a draft of
 \$31.74 had to be sent, owing to the bill being upon a
 gold basis, while Mexico has free silver
 coinage, gold being at a premium of
 97 per cent.

Vote for McCallister
 for Sheriff.

OIL AT MARSH RUN.

A Boree Grit Well Five Miles up the
 Muskingum.

Definite information was received
 Friday of the striking of a Boree sand
 well in rank wildcat territory within
 five miles of this city. The new strike
 is located on the farm of Frank Weber
 on Marsh Run, five miles up the Muskingum
 and is estimated as a 25 barrel
 producer. The Boree sand was found
 at 1645 feet. The well was shot Thursday
 and filled up 600 feet with oil, with
 good gas pressure.

Some time ago a well known citizen
 of this city secured leases in the Marsh
 Run neighborhood aggregating 2400
 acres and immediately organized a
 company of Marietta business men to
 test it. This well is the outcome of
 the venture. It is no fake, but exactly
 what is claimed for it—a small producer
 in the Boree. Should it result in the
 development of a new Boree field
 it not only brings a fortune to its owners,
 but means much for the business
 interests of Marietta.

The Clover Oil Company started a
 well Friday on the Richards farm in
 the Big Kate field.

OIL MARKET.	
Tiona	\$1.37
Pennsylvania	1.17
Barnesville	1.07
Corning	1.07
Newcastle	.92
North Lima	.95
South Lima	.90
Indiana	.60

Vote for VanVoorhis for Congress.

German M. E. Church.—The revival
 still continues. The interest was probably
 never better than on Friday night.
 With all the outside attractions the
 attendance has been good and the
 interest unabated. The services for
 Sunday are as follows: Sunday School
 at 9 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and
 7 p. m. A jubilee service will be held
 at 2 p. m. This will be the last day for
 Rev. Mr. H. B. Roller, the evangelist,
 as he leaves for Indiana on Monday.

Unitarian.—"The Bible" will be the
 subject for both morning and evening.
 Young people's meeting at six o'clock.
 Everybody invited.

First M. E. Church.—Morning topic:
 "What God Requires of Every Man,
 and Why." Evening topic: "The Business
 Man's Chief Business." Opportunity
 given at each service for uniting
 with the church, on probation or
 by letter. Special music. The public
 invited.

Harmar Congregational Church.—
 Sabbath School at 9:15 a. m. Worship
 at 10:30. Y. P. S. C. E., 6 p. m. Preaching
 service, 7 p. m. The pastor will
 speak in the morning on "A Question
 in Religious Philosophy," and in the
 evening on "Air Ship and the Face
 of an Angel."

Presbyterian Church.—Morning subject:
 "The Duty of Hopefulness." Evening:
 "The Church to the Close of
 the First Century."

Baptist Church.—Morning topic: "The
 Completeness of Christ's Teaching as a
 Revelation of the Will of God." Evening
 subject: "Anarchy versus Supremacy
 of Law." Sabbath School,
 9:15 a. m. Christian Endeavor Prayer
 Service at 6 p. m.

Vote for Athey for Recorder.

Republican Meetings.
 Newport Village, Oct. 31, W. H.
 Leeper and C. S. Dana.
 Upper Lawrence town house, Oct. 31,
 R. C. Dawes and C. U. Shryock.
 Limerick school House, Oct. 31, T.
 W. Moore and E. R. Alderman.
 Scottown, Oct. 31, F. J. Clemenger
 and B. E. Guyton.

Vote for Randolph for Commissioner.

MCKINLEYISMS.
 NO ONE SUFFERS SO MUCH
 FROM CHEAP MONEY AS THE
 FARMERS AND LABORERS.
 IT IS NOT MORE MONEY THAT
 WE WANT; WHAT WE WANT IS
 TO PUT THE MONEY WE ALREADY
 HAVE AT WORK.
 IF THERE IS ANY ONE THING
 WHICH SHOULD BE FREE FROM
 SPECULATION AND FLUCTUATION
 IT IS THE MONEY OF A COUNTRY.
 IT IS A MERE PRETENSE TO ATTRIBUTE
 THE HARD TIMES TO THE
 FACT THAT ALL OUR CURRENCY
 IS ON A GOLD BASIS. GOOD
 MONEY NEVER MADE TIMES
 HARD.

Your Boy Won't Live a Month.
 So Mr. Gilman Brown, of 34 Mill St.,
 South Gardner, Mass., was told by the
 doctors. His son had lung trouble,
 following Typhoid Malaria, and he
 spent three hundred and seventy-five
 dollars with doctors, who finally gave
 him up, saying: "Your boy won't live a
 month." He tried Dr. King's New
 Discovery and a few bottles restored
 him to health and enabled him to go
 to work a perfectly well man. He says
 he owes his present good health to the
 use of Dr. King's New Discovery, and
 knows it to be the best in the world
 for lung trouble. Trial Bottles Free
 at W. H. Styer's Drug Store

Vote for Rood for Probate
 Judge.

SILVER'S PRICE.

What Caused It to Fall From
 '73 to '95.

RATIO OF GOLD AND SILVER

From 1793 to 1893—As the Production
 of Silver Went Up its Price Went
 Down, While Gold Kept in the Middle
 of the Road All the Way—Folly
 For This Country Alone to Attempt
 Free Coinage at Any Ratio.

There are thousands of voters in
 this country, says the Toledo Blade,
 who believe that the fall in the price
 of silver since 1869—for it began before
 1873, and before any nation had
 dropped its use as a full money metal—
 was because of such legislation. And
 the plea is made by the silverites that
 if we restore it as a money metal its
 price will rise to \$1.23 per ounce at
 once.

Even if the drop in the price of silver
 bullion were due to this legislation—
 which it is not—how could its restoration
 by the United States alone raise the price to the old level. We
 have 70,000,000 people. The countries
 of Europe which have dropped silver
 alone have a population of 218,000,000;
 India has 220,000,000. How can the
 action of 70,000,000 reverse the action
 of 438,000,000—over six times as
 many?

But the main factor in the fall of
 silver is simply its increased production.
 To show that this is correct we
 reprint the following table from the
 current number of Dun's Review. It
 gives the production by ounces of the
 United States and of the world, and
 the average price of bullion:

Year.	U. S.	World.	Average Price.
1873	27,450,000	63,237,157	\$1.00
1874	28,940,000	65,300,741	.988
1875	24,500,000	62,551,719	.994
1876	30,000,000	67,735,125	.994
1877	30,783,000	62,579,016	.995
1878	34,700,000	73,353,451	.991
1879	31,530,000	74,383,453	.988
1880	30,330,000	74,746,374	.987
1881	30,230,000	73,020,372	.981
1882	36,300,000	86,472,061	.978
1883	35,700,000	89,175,028	.954
1884	37,000,000	91,557,901	.951
1885	39,010,000	94,009,059	.928
1886	39,435,312	98,297,293	.769
1887	41,293,249	96,139,586	.759
1888	45,700,000	106,329,091	.737
1889	51,354,531	120,213,611	.724
1890	54,500,000	129,745,632	.710
1891	58,330,000	137,170,019	.704
1892	61,500,000	134,151,702	.674
1893	69,000,000	166,062,447	.694
1894	80,515,131	167,732,161	.691
1895	85,725,000	174,706,375	.694
1896 (6 mo.)	85,725,000	174,706,375	.628

Note that the increase in production
 has been accompanied by a steady
 decline in price. The two things have
 gone together. There have been fluctuations
 from year to year, but the increase
 year by year in the production
 has been accompanied by a fall in
 price. It will be noted that the occasional
 decrease in the column showing
 the American production played but a
 small part in affecting the world's
 price.

The decline in the price from 1873
 to 1876 was light. The production had
 decreased, but Germany had thrown
 a vast quantity of silver upon the market.
 Other mints were open, however,
 and in 1873 France coined \$30,000,000
 and Belgium \$20,000,000. The result
 was that serious apprehensions were
 excited that year, and in January, 1874,
 the Latin Union limited the coinage of
 five-franc pieces. Then the price went
 down until the passage of the Bland
 act, which caused another advance.
 Germany took advantage of this boom
 to sell 25,000,000 ounces in 1878, closing
 out its stock the next year. From
 1878 to 1881 the production increased
 but little, and the market remained
 comparatively steady, notwithstanding
 the suspension of coinage by the Latin
 Union. Another radical fall began in
 1885, coincident with the world's big
 increase of production. A speculative
 rise was caused in 1890 by the passage
 of the Sherman act, which was expected
 to take all the American product,
 but the price dropped swiftly, while
 production went on increasing.

No law can raise the price of silver
 while the production is so enormous.
 Free coinage would only stimulate
 production, and the price would fall,
 as it did under the Sherman law.
 In this connection we will give the
 commercial ratio of gold and silver,
 from the tables in the report of the
 director of the mint, at periods of five
 years for a century, beginning with
 the date of the first United States
 coinage act.

1793	15.00	1849	15.55
1798	15.00	1854	15.33
1803	15.41	1859	15.35
1808	15.18	1864	15.37
1813	15.18	1869	15.29
1818	15.25	1874	15.29
1823	15.35	1879	15.02
1828	15.34	1884	15.04
1833	15.73	1889	15.04
1838	15.03	1894	21.90
1843	15.84	1899	26.49
1848	15.58		

The fall in the price of silver from
 1793 to 1813 was so great as to prevent
 the circulation of gold altogether
 in this country, with "free coinage"
 at the ratio of 1793. In 1833 the coinage
 ratio was altered to very near the
 commercial ratio, or 15.983, but silver
 rose in price after that so much that
 by 1853 it had ceased to be used as
 money, and the value of fractional
 coinage was then reduced. After the
 discovery of the new silver mines the
 price fell so rapidly that one nation
 after another found it necessary to restrict
 the coinage.

HIS COUNTERPART.

Which Was It—Abraham Lincoln or
 Jeff Davis?
 1899.
 "We denounce arbitrary interference
 by Federal authorities in local affairs
 as a violation of the constitution," etc.
 —W. J. Bryan.

1861.
 "We denounce arbitrary interference
 by Federal authorities in local affairs
 as a violation of the constitution," etc.
 —Jeff Davis.

HELP GET OUT EVERY VOTER
 WHO WILL VOTE FOR MCKINLEY
 NEXT TUESDAY.

NO LACK OF SILVER.

Volume of Money Has Not Ruled the
 Price of Wheat.

One of the most frequently repeated
 assertions of the friends of silver is
 that the lack of silver money has
 caused the fall in the price of wheat
 and other farm products, and that the
 addition of more silver to our currency
 would bring the price of wheat up to
 \$1 per bushel, or more. They indignantly
 deny that this would be because
 of the depreciation of silver as a
 standard of value, but say that the mere
 addition of more money to the circulating
 medium of the country would cause
 prices to advance.

Here is a table which shows the
 amount of silver money in the country
 in each year since 1871, and the average
 price of wheat in each year. It will be
 seen that the amount of silver money
 in the United States in 1895 was twelve
 times as much as in 1871, and that the
 price of wheat when we had the most
 silver money was just two-fifths what
 it was when silver was one-twelfth of
 the amount which we have today. Does
 this look as though "more silver money
 in the country" would make prices
 higher?

Year.	Silver currency in U. S.	Av. price of wheat.
1871	\$ 52,000,000	\$1.258
1872	55,000,000	1.241
1873	58,000,000	1.151
1874	61,000,000	.945
1875	63,000,000	1.008
1876	72,000,000	1.037
1877	90,000,000	1.084
1878	105,000,000	.777
1879	132,000,000	1.108
1880	163,000,000	.951
1881	189,000,000	1.192
1882	218,000,000	.882
1883	244,000,000	.911
1884	269,000,000	.645
1885	297,000,000	.771
1886	329,000,000	.687
1887	369,000,000	.681
1888	402,000,000	.926
1889	437,000,000	.698
1890	485,000,000	.838
1891	542,000,000	.839
1892	592,000,000	.624
1893	623,000,000	.638
1894	624,000,000	.491
1895	625,000,000	.509

BUT THE PRICE OF WHEAT IN
 1896, WITH THE GOVERNMENT
 BUYING NO SILVER BULLION, HAS
 RISEN FROM 51 CENTS IN 1895 TO
 72 CENTS, AND IS LIKELY TO GO
 TO \$1 IF PROTECTION AND SOUND
 MONEY PREVAIL IN THE ELEC-
 TION ON NOV. 3.

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 a fine array of seasonable and fashionable goods
 at such low prices for good values as at the present
 season. The forthcoming of the Fall months
 have brought out many novelties, and we have
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 friends are invited.

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